

Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota

Office Of The Governor

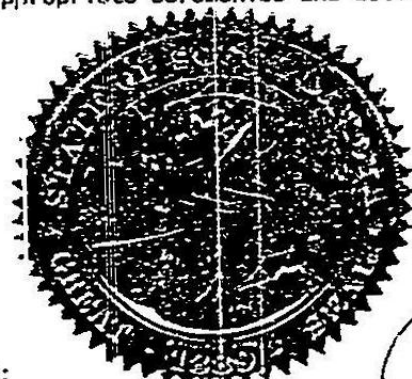
WHEREAS, The Cooperative Extension Service was designed as a partnership between the federal, state and county governments and volunteers, and today this system includes extension offices in 64 South Dakota counties and educational programs in all 66 counties; and,

WHEREAS, For 75 years, South Dakotans have benefited from participation in educational programs in Agriculture, 4-H, and Home Economics by the South Dakota Cooperative Extension Service and South Dakota State University; and,

WHEREAS, The Cooperative Extension Service has contributed greatly in assisting South Dakota families with the efficient production of a reliable supply of food and fiber for consumers in this state, country and worldwide; and,

WHEREAS, The Cooperative Extension Service system has done much to help South Dakota's rural and urban adults and youth help themselves as they have steadily improved their quality of life and leadership ability:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, GEORGE S. MICKELSON, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim May 8, 1989, as the 75th Anniversary of the signing of the Smith-Lever Act of 1914 and the remainder of 1989 as the 75th Anniversary Year of The South Dakota Cooperative Extension Service and call upon the people of South Dakota to recognize the benefits of the South Dakota Cooperative Extension Service and to observe this 75th Anniversary with appropriate ceremonies and activities.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Seventeenth Day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Nine

GEORGE S. MICKELSON, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

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